

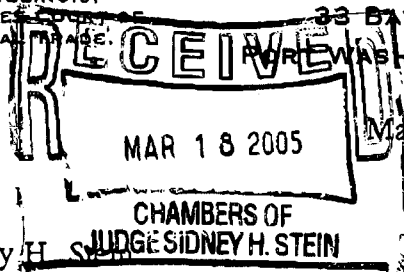
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Re: *Hughes, Hooker et al. v. American Club*
Case No.: **04 CV 1859 (SHS)**

Dear Judge Stein:

I represent the Plaintiffs, and write to request a one-week extension of time on the briefing schedule regarding the Defendants' motion and Plaintiffs' cross-motion in the above-captioned matter as set by Your Honor's Order of February 4, 2005, a true copy of which follows. Plaintiffs now request until March 28, 2005, for Plaintiffs to serve their response to the motion. In accordance with Your Honor's Rule 1(E), I note the following:

- Plaintiffs' response was originally due today, March 21, with other dates as shown on the following page.
- There have been no previous requests for extensions of time on this motion.
- The Defendants have indicated that they do not oppose this request for an extension, provided that their time to serve a reply, and a response to any cross-motion, is extended by a commensurate amount, i.e., until Monday, April 4. Plaintiffs' time to reply on the cross-motion should accordingly also be moved one week, to April 11, 2005.

By copy of this letter to Mr. Bowles, I thank him again for his courtesies.

Respectfully,

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U.S.D.J.

SO ORDERED 3/21/05

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